House Resolution No. 472

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who distinguished himself as a leader of his community during his sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Joe Fancler, a former resident of Tipton, Missouri, will be honored posthumously with the 2003 Tipton Community Pride Award; and

Whereas, Joe Fancler compiled an enviable list of service to the Tipton community as a member of a variety of important organizations including the Tipton Nutrition Center, Tipton Manor, the Tipton Country Club, the American Legion, and OATS; and

Whereas, Joe Fancler's other affiliations included the Meals on Wheels program, Prison Ministry, and the First Baptist Church, where he glorified the Lord as a Sunday School teacher; and

Whereas, Joe Fancler provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones through forty years of stellar employment with the Missouri State Highway Department; and

Whereas, Joe Fancler received a lifetime of love and admiration from his wonderful family whose members include his devoted wife, Winnie, and his nine children, Dan Fancler, Vicki Goodwin, Dana Brant, Rhonda Bookout, Gail Weber, Richard Gerke, Ronald Gerke, Lois Porter, and Vivian Noble; and

Whereas, it is entirely fitting and proper that this legislative body pay tribute to Joe Fancler, a remarkable individual and dedicated community leader who will be greatly missed by all those who had the distinct pleasure of knowing and loving him:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in honoring the memory of Joe Fancler, a remarkable gentleman of peace and kindness in this world whose contributions to the Tipton community will live on through his legacy; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in loving memory of the late Joe Fancler.

Offered by
Representative Larry Crawford
District No. 117
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 472, adopted February 10, 2004.
Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker